

FISCAL NOTE

HB 3026 - SB 3098

February 21, 2000

SUMMARY OF BILL: Requires that the Board of Claims, upon determining that the officer or employee was acting within the scope of the officer's or employee's official duties, shall reimburse the affected officer or employee for actual or adjudicated damages or costs, including attorney fees, awarded by judgement or settlement.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

Increase State Expenditures - Less than \$100,000/Claims Award Fund

Estimate assumes an increase in potential reimbursements from the Board of Claims for reimbursement for expanded damages or costs.

Current law authorizes the Board of Claims to reimburse for actual damage awards of settlements rendered in lawsuits filed against state employees for acts or omissions committed in the scope of state employment.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James A. Davenport, Executive Director

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